### CORPORATIONS NOT TAXED.

Under Democratic Rule State De partments Annually Earn More Than Half a Million Dollars in Fees.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 2.-The follow ing chapter from Secretary of State Cook's forthcoming political handbook strikingly illustrates the difference between the "soft snap" conditions which prevailed during the six years the Republicans ruled in Missouri and the businesslike methods which prevail under Democratic management:

"Here is a brief chapter from the official records of Missourt which gives striking contrast between the businesslike methods which prevail under Democratic rule and the soft-snap reign which existed during the six years the Republicans filled the offices in Missouri.

"Attention has been called to the fact that during the entire six years the Repub-licans had control of Missouri they did not impose one dollar of taxes on the railroads. The injustice of this policy was all the more flagrant because taxes then were enormously high and the burden which individual property had to bear was made doubly excessive by the rank favoritism shown cor-

Republican Favoritism.

"This favoritism was not fimited to the railroads alone. Other great corporate in-terests were permitted to escape any part of the burdens of taxation. "Not one dollar reached the State Treas-bry from the various State departments during the six years the Republicans held control. In those days the fees of the Secretary of State, in addition to his salary, all went into the pockets of "Count" Rod-man. The office earned \$40,000 annually.

but the State got no part of it.
"The same is true of the Treasury Department. The State's moneys were then partment. The State's moneys were tuen used as the personal perquisites of the State

The records tell the same story of the The records ten the same story of the Insurance Department. The most searching investigation of the records fails to show a single dollar reaching the Treasury from any of these departments during the outro.

entire period of Republican control, "What are the conditions to-day? Present Conditions.

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"Not only are the railroads required to pay taxes on an assessment of over \$80,000.600, but other great corporate interests are made to bear a fair proportion of the State's burdens.

"The Insurance Department now collects from insurance companies in tees and taxes annually \$35,000.

"Under Republican rule not one dollar was paid into the State Treasury by these great money-making corporations.

"In addition to these large sums, a Democratic Attorney General compelled the insurance companies, which violated the anti-trust law, to pay into the State Treasury in fines in a single year over \$9,000.

"Has any Missourian ever heard of any Republican Attorney General imposing a penalty on these corporations, however openly or defiantly they may have violated the laws of the State?

"The interest on Deposits.

"The interest on the State deposits amounted to over \$8,000 last year and every dollar went to the credit of the people.

"The most vigilant and persistent expert accountant, that could be secured within the ramifications of Wall street failed to trace a single dollar of "interest on deposits" to the State Treasury during the six years the Republicans handled the public funds.

"The earnings of the Secretary of State has year amounted to \$165,585.05 and every

lic funds.

"The earnings of the Secretary of State inst year amounted to \$167.638.05 and every dollar was paid into the State Treasury.

"If the Republican Secretary of State, Count' Rodman, ever let go a single dollar of fees, the records at the State Capitol fall to disclose the rash act.

"Practically all of this large sum came from corporations which almost wholly escaped taxation during the six years of Republican rule, when individual property bore the burdens of a most profligate State government.

bore the burdens of a most profligate State government.

"The earnings of the Insurance, Treasury and State departments in fees, special taxes and commissions under Democratic methods amounted to more than haif a million dollars annually.

Fees Now Received.

"Missouri to-day receives each year in fees and taxes on corporations which wholly escaped taxation under Republican rule nearly three-fourths of a million dollars.

"The revenue from corporations has enabled the State to reduce taxation on the property of the individual clitzen, until today the tax rate for State purposes is only half of what it was when the Republicans mismanaged the affairs of the Commonwealth.

wealth.
"This chapter, brief as it is, forcefully filustrates the rank favoritism which prevailed during the Republican reign in Missourt, when corporate interests not only went untaxed, but when corporations were released from obligations they justly owed, and these burdens, aggregating over twenty millions of dollars, were fastened upon the people."

# CITY ELECTIONS IN KANSAS.

Results Throughout the State Were Varying and Unimportant.

Kansas City, Kas., April 2.-The result in the municipal elections, held in Kansas City yesterday, was varying. The only officers elected in the larger towns were Counficers elected in the larger towns were Councilmen and members of the School Board. A full line of city officers were not chosen except in a few of the smaller towns.

Topeka—Republicans carried three of the rix wards, with the probability that the Democrats elected the women. In the other ward the Republican nominee, who was indersed by the Democrats, was elected.

Kansas City—Democrats elected eight out of eleven candidates for School Board, Clerk and Constables, and five of the six Councilmen.

Fort Scott-Republicans gained one or two

Oiathe-Entire Republican ticket, with exception of one Councilman, elected. Ottawa-Entire Republican ticket, with exception of one member of Council,

Leavenworth-Democrats elected four of

#### A TEARFUL BABY Wanted to Write a Letter.

A man came upon his little girl in a grievous and tearful condition because she had been restricted in her allowance of Grape-Nuts. The father says: "I am little at home, and I hardly understood why the absence of one particular food should excite her grief, but upon inquiry discovered that she had taken such a decided fancy to it that she was refusing meat and almost every other kind of food.

"Since she has been using Grape-Nuts a serious condition of constipation of the bowles has been changed to a thoroughly normal condition, and her fiesh is as solid as a rock." Junieted her grief hy assessing

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"I quieted her grief by agreeing to let her "I quieted her grief by agreeing to let her write a letter, or I would write, if she would tell me what to say, so here it is: 'My Dear Mr. Grape-Nuts: Mamma will not give me all the Grape-Nuts I want; she says I must eat some beef, and I don't like it. I just like Grape-Nuts better than anything else, with cream on them. Mamma used to soak them in water, but now I just eat them dry with cream on them. If it had ten dollars to buy Grape-Nuts with, I would fill the big pantry shelf; then mamma would give me more. I am 6 years old. With love, and thanking you for making Grape-Nuts, D. L. F.''ing
Her father adds: "Right here I may gratefully give credit to Grape-Nuts (which has largely taken the place of rich, indigestible food in my own case) for curing a distressing catarrh of the stomach." This father and little girl live in Truro, Nova E. Scotia. Name given by Postum Company, ste

Emporia-Entire Republican ticket elect-Concordia—Republicans elected five Coun-ilmen out of seven and the entire School Board,
Abilene—Republicans elected three Councilmen; Populists one.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS MEET. National Organization Launched Yesterday at Springfield, Ill.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., April 2.—The first grand national encampment of the Service Men of the Sprands and the Spanish War opened in this city to-day for a two days' session. A national organization was launched, which its promoters believe is and will prove to be the legitimate successor of the Grand Army of the Republic.

mate successor of the Grand Army of the Republic.
Governor Richard Yates delivered an address of Welcome, in which he cangratulated the delegates on their efforts to perpetuate the military prowess of the country through this new organization.
Colonel George M. Moulton of Chicago acted as churman of the meeting and announced that the national officers would be elected and installed te-morrow, and the institutional organization perfected. It is probable that General Wiley will be elected commander-in-chief, and that Captain Davanny whose home is in Chicago, is credited with being the originator of the creanization. He is the prime mover in extending the order and has done most of the work in connection with it.

Among the well-known men in military circles who are present are Colonels Edward C. Young, J. E. Stewart, Marcus Kayanaugh, George M. Moulton, James S. Culver, Major L. M. Ennis of the Illinois National Guard, Brigadier General J. H. Barclay of the Seventh Army Corps.

DOCTOR A. C. CORR IS DEAD. Former President of the Illinois Medical Society.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carlinville, Ill., April 2.—Doctor A. C. Corr, a prominent physician of this city, died at his home this afternoon after a lingering illness. Doctor Corr had been one of the most prominent men in the medical circles of Illinois. Among the positions he has held was that of President of Illinois Medical Society and State Board of Health. At the time of his death he was a member of the local Board of Pension Examiners.

MRS. JULIA BARKSDALE.

BEPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Slater, Mo., April 2.—Mrs. Julia Barksdale, aged 74 years, died at her home in this city to-day. She was the wife of the late J. W. Barksdale, a phoneer merchant

ANTHONY BOLES.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Pilot Grove, Mo., April 2.—Anthony Boles, a biomeer citizen of Missouri, died yesterday evening. He was 78 years old, a native of Kentucky, and came to Missouri in 1848. He labit the foundation for the first Courthouse in Forsythe, Taney County, and built and operated the flour mill at this place shortly after the war. He was a heavy property owner of Cooper County at one time.

JOHN REA. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carrollton, Mo., April 2.—John Rea, prominent Carroll County farmer, died to day, aged 51 HARRY BUDSON.

HARRY HUDSOX.

HEFFIELIC SPECIAL.

Paducah, Ky., April 2.—Fireman Harry Hudson of this city who was injured in the Illinois Central wreck at Millington, fenn., Monday night, died jast night and his body was brought here to-day.

D. F. MONTICUE, REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Memphis, Mo., april 2.-D. F. Monticue,
a veteran, died here to-day, aged 70 years,
from measies.

### SEWER LABORERS STILL OUT. Settlement of Controversy With Contractors Not Yet Made.

No settlement of the controversy between Hernan and Skrainka, who have the contract for the building of city sewers in Cora avenue, district No. 1, and the 150 employes who struck Tuesday for an advance of 5 cents a day on their wages, has yet been reached.

August Heman, a member of the firm, pesterday said that no effer of a compromise had been suggested by the men, and he said that the demand for the increase would not be met by the contractors. Mr. Heman said that he would have a hundred men at work to-day, and the full complement of laborers necessary to complete the contract will be hired as rapidly as possible.

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No trouble between the strikers and the men who succeed them is expected.

Cora avenue sewer district No. 1 smbraces all the territory between Taylor avenue west to Union, and from Ashland avenue south to North Market street and Cote Brilliante avenue. The work was begun in Sentember, and it room. September, and is now more than thirds of the way completed.

### DOUBLE WEDDING CELEBRATED. Brother and Sister Were Two of

the Contracting Parties.

A double wedding, in which Fred Diebal of No. 918 Geyer avenue, was one of the bridgerooms and his sister. Emilie Diebal, one of the brides, took place at Mr. Diebal's home at 8 o'clock last night.

Mr. Diebal was married to Miss Minnie Schultze, who came to St. Louis from Troy, Ill., a little more than a year ago, and Miss Diebal to F. T. Linhardt of No. 1840 South Nith street.

Ninth street.

The ceremony was performed by the Reverend Otto Hauser, pastor of Trinity Church, corner of Eighth street and Larayette avenue, after which there was a reception and supper, Mr. and Mrs. Diebal will live at No. 918 Geyer avenue and Mr. and Mrs. Linhardt of South Tenth street.

## ARRANGED FOR BIG EUCHRE. Southwestern Mercantile Associa-

tion Held Monthly Meeting.

The Southwestern Mercantile Association held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday night at Ander's Hall, Jeffsre'n avenue and Pestalozzi street, at which final arrangements were made for a cushre to be given by that organization April 13 at Lenn's Hall. A committee from the North St. Louis Business Men's Association was present, having been invited. Three new members were admitted and C. H. Kreh was elected official planist of the association.

tion.

The report that a new bank is to be opened on South Jefferson avenue was freely discussed, and the members decided to urge the matter as the present banking facilities in that part of the city are in-

### REPORT ON LIBRARY BILL. Will Be Returned to House Without Recommendation.

Chairman Burke of the Committee Chairman Burke of the Committee on Public Improvements announced yesterday that the library bill will be reported to the House of Delegates to-morrow without recommendation. The committee meeting called for yesterday afternoon did not take place, because a quorum was not present. This bill was passed by the City Council. It provides for the restoration of Missouri Park and authorizes construction of the central Carnege Library building in the park. The bill originated from the Board of Director of the Free Public Library.

FROSTS IN SOUTHERN STATES. Damage to Fruit Crop Is Reported

in Tennessee. Atlanta, Ga., April 2.-Frosts were genera last night in portions of Mississippi, Alaboma, Georgia and the Carolinas. The damage to the fruit crop in Georgia, if any,

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 2.-Heavy frosts occurred last night over this dis-trict, doing considerable damage to fruit, which was well advanced.

Missouriaus in New York. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

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New York, Ajril 2—Among the arrivals at the hotels here to-day were the following Missourians:

St. Louis-Misses Ramsey, E. D. Taylor, A. Euston, Holland, E. Harrison, D. I. Meler, H. M. Meier and Mrs. Meier, Waldouf, C. Gentlen, J. H. Shepard, Normandie; H. L. Harvey, J. R. G. Robert, L. Fried, Astor, S. Tevis, Hoftman, E. R. Blagden, Imperial; G. F. May, Westminster, Joseph—A. B. Forest, Criterion.

# six Councilmen, and Judge and Clerk of LOVE WAS NO LAGGARD WITH MR. AND MRS. GEO. E. POWELL

Post Office Employe Marries Miss Alice Crookes After an Acquaintance of Less Than a Month and a Courtship of Ten Days -Depart for the South on a Honeymoon Trip.



MRS. GEORGE E. POWELL. GEORGE E. POWELL Who was until yesterday Miss Alice Crookes of No. 421 Cook avenue.

of No. 4281 Cook avenue, were married late

al company, in which he had one of the the second daughter of Joseph Crookes, who was, until his death, the junior mem-ber of the Branch-Crookes Saw Company. Her share of her father's estate amounted to a considerable sum, and since his death, it is said, her investments in real estate

After an acquaintance of less than a month and a courtship which did not extend over a period of more than ten days, George E. Powell, an employe of the St. Louis Post Office, and Miss Alice Crookes, of No. 4281 Cook avenue, were married inteyesterday afternoon by the Reverend J. P. T. Ingraham, rector of Grace Episcopal Church, in Marton place.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Powell have a wide acquaintance in St. Louis Mr. Powell bar acquaintance in St. Louis Mrs. Powell bar ac

# MISS RUTH HILL MARRIED.

Ceremony Performed at Home of Official Forecast Announced for J. J. Hill by Archbishop Ireland.

St. Paul, Minn., April 2.-Miss Ruth Hill, daughter of James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway and the Northern Securities Company, to-day became the bride of Anson McCook Beard, a New York

NEW YORK MILITARY WEDDING. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, April 2.—In the Unitarian Church of All Souls, Fourth avenue and Twentleth street, this evening, Miss Minnie English Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Francis Stone, was married to Lieutenant William Swift Martin of the Fourth United States Cavalry.

WEDDED AT MOTHER'S DEATH. Miss Jennie Noel Becomes the Bride of a St. Louisan.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Lebanon, Mo., April 2.—The marriage of Miss Jennie Noel, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Noel of this city to Mr. Charles Vining of St. Louis, was celebrated at 2:30 p. m. at the bedside of the bride's dying mother. The Reverend J. J. Pritchett, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, officiated. Only a few relatives and intimate friends of the family were present. The wedding was solemnized at the earnest request of the mother who objected to having the wedding postponed on her account.

HARRIS-LEMON.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New London, Mo., April 2.—Mr. Gulford
D. Harris editor of the New London Times,
and Miss Lottle L. Lemon of this city were
married last evening by Edder John B.
Corwine, at the home of the bride's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lemon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lemon.

RILEY-LEWIS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New Madrid, Mo., April 2-Miss Lotta
Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A.
Lewis, and Mr. Howard Riley, son of Circuit Judge H. C. Riley, were married here
to-day in the Catholic Church by the Reverend J. J. Furlong.

HAYNIE-VAN METER.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Marshall Mo., April 2.—George P. Haynie
and Miss Lutie M. Van Meter, were married
here to-day, Elder Wilson officiating.

DOGS ARE MORE NUMEROUS. License Issued for Ten Thousand in St. Louis.

10,000 dogs in St. Louis. Mr. Whyte believes there are more canines, but he has collect-ed \$10,000 in dog licenses and in well are isfied with the increase in revenue. This is the largest income from dog licenses the city's history.

in the city's history.

The license tax collections for March of this year were nearly \$17,000 in excess of the same month last year. The license revenue from all sources was \$30,845.75 last month, as compared to \$14,96.76 for March, 1901, an increase of \$15,749.95. On March 31 the collector's cierks issued \$37 dog licenses. E. A. WOODY'S TRIAL BEGUN.

Expected That Testimony in the Case Will Commence To-Day.

EPUBLIC SPECIAL

# THE WEATHER.

To-Day and To-Morrow.

Washington, April 2.-Forecast: Eastern Texas-Showers Thursday, with cooler in north pertion, Friday, fair; cooler in south portion; fresh to brisk south winds on the coast,

Arkansas-Rain and warmer Thursday, Friday fair and probably cooler; fresh to brisk southeas winds.

Illineis-Fair in north, rain in south portion Thereise, Friday, fair; cooler in extreme south portions; light to fresh north winds.

Missouri-Fair in north, rain and cooler in south portions Thursday, Friday, fair; north winds.
Okiahoma, Kansas and Indian Territory—
Showers and cooler Thursday, Friday, fair;
northwest winds.
Western Texas—Fair and cooler Thursday, Friday, fair;
northwest winds.

Local Report. 

Thermometer, degrees
Humidity, degrees
Direction of wind.
Velocity of wind. her at \$135 a. m., cloudy; at \$135 p. m., faximum thermometer 54; minimum therer, 36. River, 10.9 feet. R. J. HYATT, Local Forecast Official. Government Report.

Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.—
Meteorological observations received at St. Louh
April 2, 100, at 5:30 a. m. local time and s p. m.
seventy-fifth meridian time. Observations made

New York . Philadelphia 

CLAIMS ST. LOUIS AS HOME.

Hartville, Mo., April 2.—The Circuit Court convened to-day to try E. A. Woody of Birch Tree, Mo., for killing Edward Depriest of the same town while on an excursion train at Mountain Grove Station hast September 26. Judge Cox is presiding.

A venire of 30 men was summoned by Sheriff Creer, who had his task completed at 3 o'clock.

The counsel for the defendant expects to announce ready for trial on Thursday, at a day earlier than looked for.

The defense will be represented by A. H. and F. M. Mansfield of Hartville, Almus Harrington of Springfield and Ed Shuch of Eminence. James Orchard of West Plains and Bob Shuch of Eminence will assist Prosecuting Attorney Jackson.

Mrs. Alma Boggus's Second Attempt at Suicide.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Chicago, Ill., April 2.—Mrs. Alma Boggus, aged 21 years, wife of a guard on the South Side Elevated Raliway, made a second attempt she made repaired from the husband and relatives that she would never make another attempt, but early to-day she swallowed carbolic acid and is said to be dying. She more saon for the act except that she was homesick.

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# DEMOCRATIC CHEER IN CITY ELECTIONS

Later Returns From Missouri Towns Do Not Afford Republicans Any Comfort.

More complete returns from the city elections held in Missouri Tuesday confirm first reports that the Democrats have made substantial gains in all but about two cities where political contests were made. In several of the large third-class cities the Republicans did not put up a fight. This was the case in Mexico, Columbia, Paris, Fay-ette and two or three other cities In a number of these cities not a single Republican was elected to any municipal of-

Maryville and Springfield are about the only two cities where the Republicans seem to have gained anything. They lost at Jef-ferson City, Joplin, Carthage, Lebanou. Macon, Kirksville, Appleton City, Lathrope, Independence, Clinton, Marshail and half a dozen other towns of importance, where they made straight fights.

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Only in one city, Fredericktown, did license and anti-license figure. In the other municipalities this question seems to have pretty well worn itself out in Missouri. A dozen or more cities yoted bonds for new school buildings. Macon voted a special tax to maintain a Carnegie library, and in several localities public improvement movements of various kinds were indursed by the voters.

ments of various kinds were innorsed by the voters.

So far as the political importance of the municipal elections go, the Democrats have off the best of the results. The promised Republican landslide, prophetic of results in November, did not materialize anywhere. And neither did Democratic aparthy, so generously predicted by Republicans, give evidence of being in existence.

Chariton County Primary.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Keytesville, Mo., April 2—The Democratic primary election heid here yesterday was simily attended, owing to the bad weather. There was less than haif the Democratic vote polled. Rucker for Congress, Minter for Probate Judge, Mason for Recorder, Miller for County Clerk, Lampsin for Circuit Clerk, Welch for Presiding Judge and Fleetwood for Associate Justice of the County Court had no optosition. The only contests were for Coroner and Associate Justice of the County Court. Doctor Bon Hughes was elected Coroner by 150 majority, and George T. Johnson was elected Associate Justice of the County Court by a majority of 7.

It was the most quiet primary ever held in Chariton County. So many of the candidates had no opposition that there was no enthusiasm created. Ex-Governor Stone got all the votes cast except II which were for Wallace. Some of these, it is said, were cast by men who thought they were voting for Captain J. C. Wallace of this place.

Nonpartisan Ticket.

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REPUBLIC St ECIAL.

New Madrid, Mo., April 2-At the city election yesterday party lines were not drawn. No tickets were nominated. M. J. Conran defeated S. R. Hunter for Alderman of the First Ward; J. A. Hummel was elected in the Second Ward; Joel Cook was elected Police Judge, defeating Peter Smith and John L. Ransburgh; L. A. Hichards was elected Marshal. He has held the office sixteen years. G. H. Taylor, City Attorney; W. H. Copeland, Clerk; T. R. Pangle, Street Commissioner; Doctor Welton O'Bannon, Mayor.

Democratic Councilmen Elected. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Columbia, Mo., April 2.—The following Democratic Councibien were elected yesterday without opposition: First Ward, John W. Read and Walter Benton; Second Ward, Doctor M. D. Lewis; Third Ward, J. W. Gray; Fourth Ward, E. W. Crouch.

There were five candidates for School Director, and two places to be filled. Doctor J. E. Thornton and J. P. Gant were the regular Democratic nominees; E. C. Clinkscales and F. W. Peck, Independent Democrats, and J. W. Schwab, A close vote resulted in the election of Doctor J. E. Thornton and E. C. Clinkscales, fect health, and am thoroughly con-vinced that Peruna is a perfectly rella-

Fayette Municipal Ticket.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Fayette, Mo., April 2.—The municipal election held here yesterday was the hottest fight in the bistory of the town, and resulted as follows: For Mayor, R. Lee Crews, elected over Will C. Kirby by two votes; Police Judge, R. R. Reynolds; Marshal, William Slaughter; Collector, Thomas B. Hillyer; Assessor, M. B. Yeanean, Aldermen-First Ward, J. G. Crews; Second Ward, William Shafroth.

The school election resulted as follows: For directors for term of three years, Joseph C. Maupin and William S. Pearson. The tax levy carried.

Wright County Convention Call.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL
Hartville, Mo., April 2—Chairman A. J.
Farmer of the Wright County Democratic
Central Committee to-day issued a call for
the Democrats of this county to meet in
mass convention at the Courthouse in Hartville on Saturday, April 12, and elect three ville on Saturday, April 12, and elect times delegates to represent the party at the State conventions to be held at Springfield and St. Joseph.

Representative Joel F. Short of Wright County is a candidate for Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner.

El Dorado Springs Democratic.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

El Dorado Springs, Mo., April 2.—The election in El Dorado Springs resulted in a grand Democratic victory, the entire ticket being elected, except Alderman in the Second Ward. The ticket, elected by the largest majority in several years, is as follows: Mayor, J. S. Smith; Marshal, J. M. Hall; Collector, Henry Cannon; Assessor, George Hutsell; Alderman, First Ward, D. F. Clark; Second Ward, Isaac Martin, S. M. Snodgrass and A. Fristoe were elected School Directors. El Dorado Springs Democratic.

Ste. Genevieve Convention Called. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Sto. Genevieve, Mo., April 2.—The Democratic Central Committee met here to-day and ordered a county primary election to cratic Central Committee met here to-day and ordered a county primary election to be held June 7, in conjunction with the congressional and senatorial primary. It was further ordered that the names of candidates for United States Senator be placed on the tickets. A delegate convention was called for Saturday, April 25, at New Affenburg, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the various State conventions.

Marshall, Mo., April 2.—The entire Demo-cratic city ticket was elected here yester-day. John Blair was re-elected Mayor, Alile Burns re-elected Marshal, J. A. Fisher re-elected Collector; Aldermen, J. W. Carter, J. M. Huff, G. W. Lanktord. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. The gas franchise was extended twenty years.
D. D. Duggins and Rufus Holloway were elected School Directors.

Republicans Carried Maryville. Republicans Carried Maryville.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Maryville, Mo., April 2.—The city election yesterday resulted in electing the following Republicans: For Mayor, W. T. Garrett; Marshal, John Wallace; Street Commissioner, E. Kimmons; Police Judge, E. S. James; Alderman for First Ward, E. L. Hart; Second Ward, C. D. Hooker; Third Ward, D. T. Garrett; Fourth Ward, M. C. Vicker. The Democrats elected Charles Bupler for Collector.

Blackwater Forgot Election Date. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. BODDILL SPECIAL

Boonville, Mo., April 2.—Blackwater, the first town west of here, held no city election yesterday, owing to the confusion of the date until it was too late to bring the matter up legally. The Trustees have decided to hold one next Wednesday. A hitter factional fight is being waged, and a warm time is expected.

Lathrop West Democratic. Lathrop went Democratic.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Lathrop, Mo., April 2.—This city is Democratic for the first time in its history, the entire Democratic ticket winning at yesterday's city election with some candidates running at the rate of over two to one. William Francis, resident manager of the Guyton & Harrington Mule Company of St. Louis, is one of the newly-elected Aidermen.

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factory results from the use of Peruna write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advi-gratis.

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would not allow at that time.

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the best, and he answered, Peruna Is

"For three weeks I used it faithfully and was very much pleased to find that

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ROSALIE A. GOULDING.

order at 2 o'clock this afternoon by James H. Cook of Carthage, Mo., a member of the National Populist Executive Committee. About 250 persons were in the hall, representing the various reform movements Among these about 75 per cent were mem bers of the People's party, while the Munici-pal Ownership party of St. Louis, repre-senting the union labor reform movement, were next in evidence. There were also a number of fusion Populists present, and the Union Reform party of Ohlo, the Socialists and the United Christian party were repre-sented in person or by proxy. There were

also a few Silver Republicans.

The Reverend Senator Gill of Indians, offered prayer, after which Doctor Joseph E. Chambers of St. Louis, spoke of the purposes for which the convention had been called and urged that the time had come

He stated that the two great parties were He stated that the two great parties were watching the proceedings with great interest, and urged that a party be formed, with a platform broad enough for all to stand on. He compared the meeting with the Continental Congress in Philadelphia. Chairman Parker of the National Populist Committee, then read the call for the meeting, and the agreement reached by the conference at Kansas City, last June when the meeting in this city was provided for.

Colonel S. G. Felter of Springfield, Ill., was unanimously elected temporary chairman. Mills Williams of West Plains, Mo., was chosen temporary secretary.

ALLIED PARTY NOW

HOLDING CONVENTION

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Opposed to All Prominent Parties

—St. Louis and Missouri Reformers in Evidence.

Louisville, Ky., April 2.—The national convention of the allied party, whose object is stated to be the "union of all reform forces against plutocracy," was called to

Wright, Springfield, Mo.; S. L. Moser, Louis; Isaac W. Stanley, Glenwood, James H. Hilled, McFall, Mo.; Thomas Scott, St. Louis, Mo.; Otto H. Karbe, Louis, Nat G. Eaton, St. Louis, Mo.; B. Walker, Illinois; Victor Gebhardt, St. Louis Mo.; J. H. Cook, Carthage, Mo.

The National Convention was called order to-day by James H. Cook of Carthag Mo., and Mills Williams of West Planwas chosen temporary secretary.

Two of the principal addresses of the sion to-day were made by Mr. Cook at Doctor Chambers of St. Louis. Mr. Cook at Doctor Chambers of St. Louis. Mr. Cook at Dottor Chambers of St. Louis. Mr. Cook at Dottor Chambers of St. Louis.

Senatorial Convention Called.
Clinton, Mo., April 2.—The Democr Central Committee of the Sixteenth St torial District met in Clinton and called Senatorial convention to meet at Apple City Tuesday, May 20. C. C. Dickin member of the last House from He County, has announced his candidacy the Senate.

Morgan County Democrate.

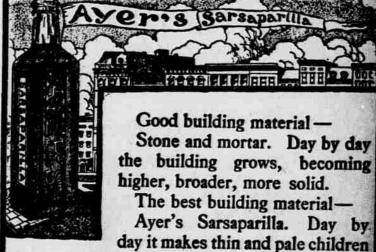
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Versailles, Mo., April 2.—The Democrative of this county met here to and called a convention to meet in Valilles Monday. May 19, to elect delegate to the State Convention at Springfield St. Joseph, and the State Senatorial Convention at California.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL was chosen temporary secretary.

When the question of the organization of committees arose Poctor Chambers of St.
Louis proposed that a Committee on Conference be appointed, consisting of one member from each State, in order to settle any differences that might arise. This

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